WATER SUPPLY OUTLOOK

BITTERROOT RIVER BASIN

MONTANA

AS OF:
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The water supply outlook in the Bitterroot River basin has improved with spring precipitation. Streamflow for the remainder of the season should be near average.

Gibbons Pass snow course was measured on May 31. The average snow depth was 4 inches and the average water content was 1.6 inches.

Late season streamflow forecasts are as follows:

Station	Forecast Period	Forecast This Year	Percent Average	Measured Last Year*	Measured Average
Bitterroot River Darby (near)	June-Sept	310	101	223	306
Burnt Fork Creek Stevensville (near)	June-Sept	19.5	102	13.4	19.2

*Provisional data furnished by U. S. Geological Survey.

No report is available for storage in Como Reservoir.

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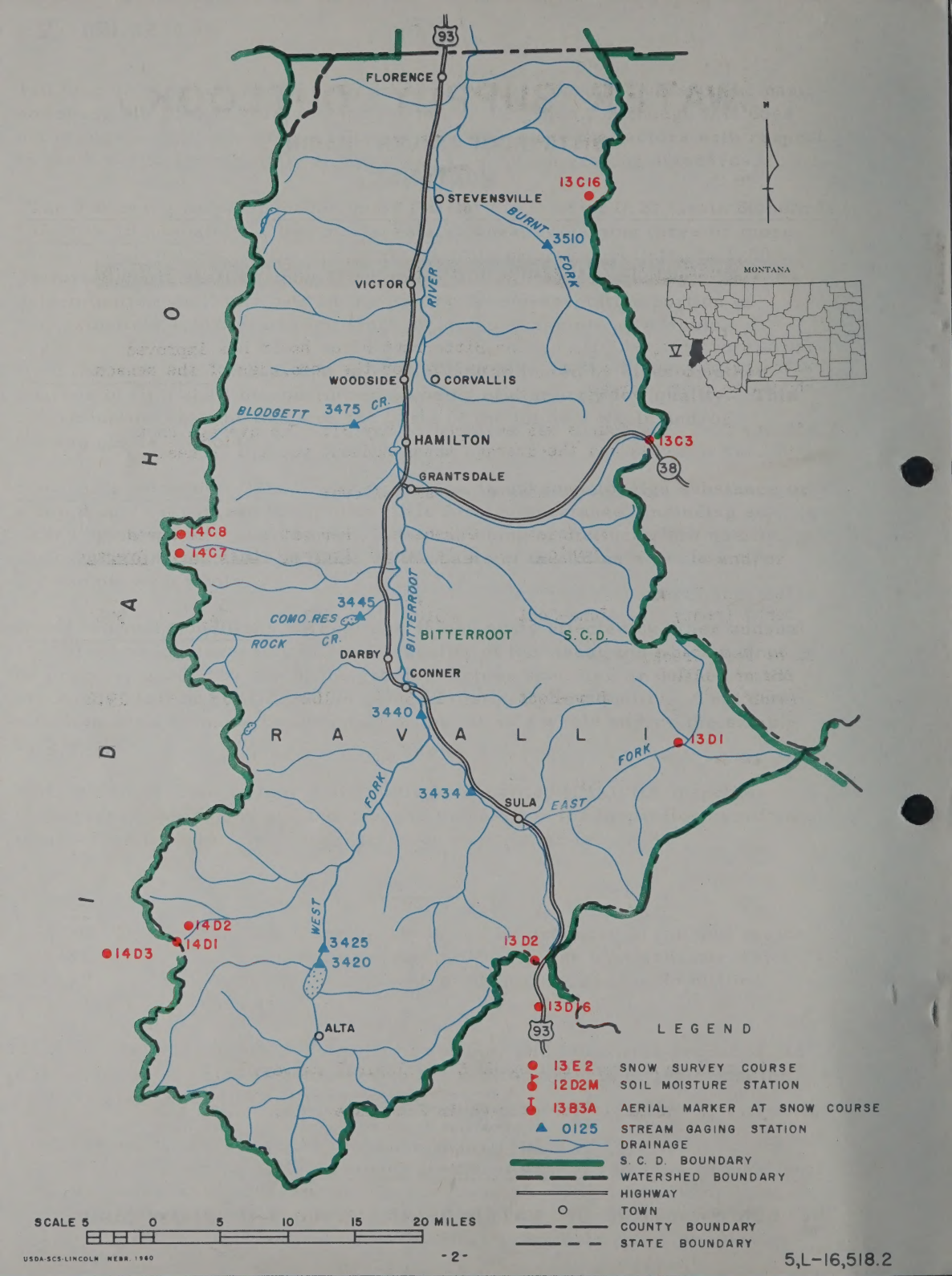

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